

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.	:	09/505,735	Confirmation No.	6053
Appellants	:	Alessandro Muti et al.		
Filed	:	02/16/2000		
Group Art Unit	:	2143		
Examiner	:	Joseph E. Avellino		
Title	:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRANSFERRING DATA OVER A NETWORK		
Atty. Docket No. :		MFCP.68276		
Customer No.	:	45809		

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference from the decision dated May 3, 2006, of the Examiner rejecting claims 1-10 and 12-30.

A notice of appeal under 37 CFR 41.31 was previously filed in the instant application on January 17, 2006, with an accompanying notice of appeal fee in the amount of \$500. Additionally, an appeal brief under 37 CFR 41.37 was previously filed on March 16, 2006, with an accompanying appeal brief fee in the amount of \$500. In response, the Examiner reopened prosecution with a new rejection. Applicant is exercising the right to initiate an appeal from this new rejection. As such, Applicant requests the previously paid notice of appeal fee be applied to the current appeal.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 19-2112.

The undersigned is an attorney acting under 37 CFR 1.34.

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